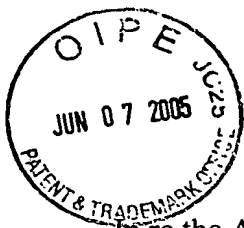


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Sir:

Examiner Thanh indicated that the drawings filed with the June 21, 2004 Amendment were approved in the December 12, 2004 Final Office Action. See April 25, 2005 Notice of Allowance. However, Examiner Thanh indicated that there was no scanned copy of the drawings in the file. Therefore, Examiner Thanh requested that Applicants resubmit a replacement copy to complete the Patent Office's records.

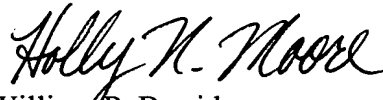
Upon further review, Applicants also note two discrepancies. First, Examiner Thanh failed to indicate that the additional drawings Fig. 7 filed with the July 7, 2004 Supplemental Amendment has been approved.

Second, in the June 21, 2004 Amendment, Applicants requested that the Examiner acknowledge consideration of the foreign language documents listed on the Form PTO-1449 filed with the December 18, 2001 Information Disclosure Statement (IDS). However, the

Examiner has not yet initialed and returned a copy of the December 18, 2001 Form PTO-1449 to indicate that the foreign language references have been considered.

Accordingly, Applicants resubmit drawing Figs. 1-6 filed with the June 21, 2004 Amendment, a copy of the December 18, 2001 Form PTO-1449, and additional drawing Fig. 7 filed with the July 7, 2004 Supplemental Amendment. Applicants also attach copies of USPTO Stamped Acknowledgement of Receipts dated June 21, 2004 and July 7, 2004. Should the Examiner require any additional information, she is requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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Copies of USPTO Stamped Acknowledgement of Receipt  
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Copy of Figs. 1-7  
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